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## School Notes

(Written by the students of the English classes.)

**Football Dropped; Basket Ball to Take its Place**  
A meeting was held for all boys interested in football or basket ball. The purpose of the meeting was to decide whether we should continue football or start basketball. The question was put to a vote and the majority wanted to start basketball. They thought there was no use in laying new equipment which would be of no use next year since most of the football men are seniors. They decided to buy new basketball suits which will be of use next season. Captain Brady gave his opinion on the subject in which he stated that he thought it best to discontinue football.

**The Grayling High Team**  
Basketball season is coming once more. And Grayling is out to win; With warriors strong she will fight her way Through barriers thick and thin.

For she has the spirit, the pep, the go, That makes up a winning team, And her men are the kind that will never turn back, However hard it may seem.

She'll do her best, with the students' support, To put up a winning fight, And surely she'll win, will Grayling High.

For the worthy old Green and the White.

**Students Attend Fair at Gaylord**  
Many were the happy students of Grayling High School last Wednesday noon when Mr. Cushman, the principal, announced that school would be closed for the remainder of the day. This was done so that every one who desired could attend the Gaylord Fair. When asked how many intended going, nearly everyone responded. Even though the weather wasn't very favorable for the occasion, everybody enjoyed themselves to a great extent. The following morning all the students returned to school wondering why the fair couldn't come oftener than once a year.

**Orchestra Practice Started**  
The Old Reliable Orchestra is once more organized for the school year. Last Thursday night we had a large attendance at practice; five violins, two saxophones, one base horn, and drums. The music has been lost that was used last year. Anyone knowing of its whereabouts will please notify Miss Quackenbush. Tonight the orchestra will play for the graduation exercises of the nurses of Mercy Hospital and the reception in the gymnasium.

**High School Spirit**  
Stop! Look! and Listen! Scholars, take warning. Don't make this a year of fun and frolic and pass on a "D" average if you can help it. Just take off your coat, roll up your sleeves, and make this year's round of studies the most beneficial in your school lives and take home a report to be proud of. Moreover, help fight the battles of Grayling High with true school spirit that will help to make 1928 a prosperous year.

**Scholastic Activities**  
The first year French class is rapidly mastering the mysteries of that musical and interesting language. Already a great many words have been learned, and it won't be long before Grayling High will produce some learned French students; this is if this progress is kept up. Miss Richards, French instructor, contrives to keep up the interest of the class, and a dull moment is never experienced while in her charge. Monsieur Arthur may also help to keep up the spirits of the class by his witty remarks and actions. The

pupils all agree that French is much easier than Latin, consequently it is more interesting. Let's hope the good work continues.

The rain and dismalness of the past week has in no way dampened the spirits of the pupils of Grayling High School. Inside the pupils are buckling down to hard work; and although in no danger of over-doing themselves, there are very few who are not applying themselves as they ought. On the whole, a good spirit of studying is shown. Perhaps it is the weather, perhaps not. What do you think?

An object that has always been on the wall in the assembly, is missing this year. It is quite a loss to those who have been used to seeing its face. But perhaps if it had set a better example, it would still be busily ticking away, enjoying the inquiring looks of the students. Much time was wasted, though, by both. Many minutes were spent every hour by scholars wondering what time it was and straining their eyes to see when they could have learned to see more things in their lessons. The timepiece, like so many of the students, would work diligently for a few days or perhaps a week, and then go on a strike for just as long. Perhaps it is just as well that it is gone.

**Happenings of the Day**  
Lillian Swanson and Ellen Gothro, seniors of this year, are back with us again after spending their vacations in Detroit and other places.

The U. S. History class has been divided because the class was too large for the benefit of the students. Both groups would have appreciated Mr. Bogue's taking both classes, but it was thought more practicable to turn them over to Miss Estee and for Mr. Bogue to take her Senior government class.

The Geometry class is happy over their new books, which have been changed from the old 1908 edition. The new books have a different method and one that is considerably easier for the student to understand.

Miss Ruth Chamberlain, a senior of last year, visited school Monday.

This year we find Miss Richards sitting over the library and by the way things are beginning to look, we positive everything is going to be kept in the very neatest of order.

Miss Lewis and Miss Sibley spent the week end at Miss Lewis' home in Gaylord.

Miss Van Dyne entertained friends from Mt. Pleasant Saturday.

Elsie Johnson was at her home in Roscommon over the week end.

Everyone has their books now and are making greater progress in our work.

The Senior class had a meeting Friday after school. Mr. Cushman is class advisor. Officers will be elected at the next meeting.

Ruth Chamberlain is taking a Post-graduate course. We are glad to have her with us for another year.

Teacher (in biology class)—"How do fish smell?"  
Elsie J.—"Awful."

The Girl's and Boy's Glee clubs have been organized for this year.

Lura—"Where yuh going?"  
Corinne—"Chemistry exam."  
Lura—"Taking the acid test, eh?"

The 23rd Sob  
The Soph is my master, I shall not survive. He dragged me about in green pastures; He souseth me with in the chill waters. He restoreth me whole; He bringeth disasters to fall in my wake.

Yea, though I stroll with a swain of an evening, I know no pleasure— for thou dost shy me;—thy rod and thy staff await me. Thou layest me low down before me as befitting mine enemies. Thou decrees habitments for me, thy mercy shall follow.



1—President Coolidge receiving an English setter pup from Claire Wildner of Superior, Wis. just before his return to Washington. 2—Commander Donald B. MacMillan greeted by his sister, Mrs. Fogz, on his arrival at Wiscasset, Maine, from his latest Arctic exploration trip. 3—Walter J. Kohler, anti-LaFollette man, nominated by Republicans for governor of Wisconsin.

me all the days of my life; I shall not remain verdant forever.  
—Freshmen.

**First Grade**  
The first grade class in reading made booklets of the family this week. They had a lot of fun cutting up mother's old magazines. Mary Jane Joseph made the best book.

**Second Grade**  
Virginia Charron, Helen Isenbauer and Katherine Carr have had perfect papers in both spelling and arithmetic all this week.

The Second A made wheelbarrows today. It was very interesting and we had some very good models too.

Yesterday we wrote a story about the pretty plants in our room. They were quite long and some were very interesting.

A little second grade girl came into Miss Cassidy's room, saying: "Miss Cassidy may I take the sponge for Miss Divine?" Miss Cassidy asked who she meant and another little girl lightened her.—She wanted the sponge to wash boards with for Miss Van Dyne.

**DUCK HUNTING SEASON OPENED SUNDAY**

On Sunday the small game hunting season opened.

The season also opened Sunday for wilson and jacksnipe, geese and brandt, yellow legs, rails, coots and gallinules. Chinese ringnecked pheasants and Woodcock may be taken for six days—October 25 to 31. It is unlawful to hunt at any time spruce hens, quail, homing pigeons or mourning doves, woodcock, black bellies and golden plover; the season on partridge and prairie chickens has been temporarily closed.

The hunter may kill 15 ducks in one day, have 30 in his possession at one time and may shoot 50 ducks in one calendar week and still be within the law. Daily bag limits are 15 wilson, snipe and jacksnipe, 15 yellow legs, 25 rails, 25 coots and gallinules, five woodcocks, five geese and brandt, and two pheasants.

Hogart has warned hunters to become acquainted with the banned sections of certain counties.

**SIX NEW CRUISERS NAMED**

According to a News Bulletin from the Navy Recruiting Station at Detroit, Michigan, six of the eight new 10,000 ton cruisers have been named by the Navy Department. The names selected are the Pensacola, Salt Lake City, Houston, Augusta and the Chester. The Chicago was named some time ago.

**VILLAGE TAXES DUE**

I am ready to collect taxes for the Village, and may be found at my store every day from 9:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.

HERLUF SORENSON,  
Village Treasurer.

## LEAVES FOR PANAMA CANAL ZONE

Private Clayton F. McDonnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McDonnell of this city, who recently enlisted in the United States Army sailed today from New York City aboard the Army Transport "St. Mihiel" bound for the Panama Canal Zone.

Private McDonnell, in volunteering for duty in Panama, selected the Field Artillery branch of the Service, and upon arrival in the Canal Zone he will be assigned to one of those units on duty there. In the Panama Canal Zone he will have the unusual opportunity of seeing the greatest engineering feat of history, an accomplishment of the Corps of Engineers of the United States Army.

Enroute to his new post, Private McDonnell and the other soldiers on the transport will visit historic San Juan on the island of Porto Rico where the War Department has arranged a sight seeing trip for its traveling soldiers.

Before sailing today Private McDonnell was a member of the garrison at Fort Slocum, N. Y., an army post on Long Island Sound, where he received the necessary basic education and training before assuming his new duties at the Canal Zone.

**HOTEL MAN TALKS BUSINESS PSYCHOLOGY**

Thomas Cassidy, proprietor of the Shoppemaginn Inn at Grayling, drifted into the office of the East Michigan Tourist Association the other day, accompanied by his customary stimulating atmosphere of optimism, and in his brief visit made the following interesting statements which we pass along for the consideration and profit of others.

"We have the biggest business in our history at Grayling this season. Traffic along U. S. 27 was the heaviest in all time. Certainly we have no kick coming. July and August were the big months, of course. Ten thousand people attended the Governor's Day observance at the State Military Reservation in 1927. This year the attendance was between 20,000 and 25,000—more than double last year's record."

"Tourists from other states are awakening to East Michigan's appeals more and more each year. They have to have other things besides beautiful scenery, pure air and pure water, however, to cement their allegiance to our section. One of these necessities is hospitality and good fellowship. Michigan's reputation in this regard is growing fast."

"Some of us are prone at times to misinterpret the demeanor of the high-powered, big business man with the gruff, certain and sometimes grouchy exterior. A soft answer to this fellow's brusque salutation, and a sincere interest in his welfare will develop the fact that his entire front is merely a cloak and that as a matter of fact he is just hungry for sociability as are most of humanity."

## HELD IN DETROIT ON BIGAMY CHARGE

Lawrence Sullivan, age 23 years husband of Thelma Davis-Sullivan of this city is held at police headquarters in Detroit on a charge of bigamy on complaint of Blanche Hickey, age 18 of that city, who says she is his second wife.

Thelma Davis and Sullivan were married in Grayling August 15, 1925, during the national guard encampment, he being a member of the Guard. He returned to Detroit with his detachment and in three weeks Mrs. Sullivan followed him but they only lived together three weeks when he left her. She returned to Grayling and made her home with her mother. Sullivan met Blanche Hickey and they were married it is charged after he had told her he had obtained a divorce from his first wife. After three weeks he left his second wife and it was when the latter applied for help from the welfare bureau in Detroit that Sullivan was arrested.

It has later developed that Sullivan had never married the Hickey woman and the case has been dropped. However they have requested Mrs. Sullivan of this city to come to Detroit, where charges for non-support for her and her nearly three year old son, Lawrence Sullivan Jr. will likely be preferred. She left for that city last night. Blanche Hickey is also mother of a son, who has been named Lawrence Sullivan Jr.

## QUESTION OF DUCK HUNTING ON LAKE ST. HELEN BEFORE THE COURT

With the opening of duck shooting season Sunday the question of the right of the public to shoot ducks on Lake St. Helen is again to the front. Dozens of sportsmen have been warned from going on the lake by the wardens of the club claiming the exclusive shooting rights. This exclusion of the public has been made easier this year for the club by reason of a temporary injunction obtained against the St. Helen Resort Association, restraining it from renting boats to sportsmen. The Association is seeking to have this injunction dissolved and the case will come up for hearing in the Roscommon County Circuit Court during the October term, commencing Friday, October 2nd. The full merits of this long drawn-out fight regarding the shooting rights on this lake are expected to be gone into during the coming trial and the outcome will be watched with interest by sportsmen of the state, as there seems to be highly divergent opinion, even among the legal talent of the state. It is almost a foregone conclusion that the final decision in the case will be given by the state supreme court.

## AUTO RACES AT GAYLORD SUNDAY

There was much disappointment among the people of Gaylord and surrounding towns when the very rainy weather made it necessary to postpone the auto races that were to be held on Saturday following the fair. Fortunately Mr. Guggisberg, and his helpers have been able to make satisfactory arrangements to have the races this next Sunday, Sept. 23, when they expect and hope to have a record crowd. The races will start at 2:30 o'clock. Admission will be 75 cents, grandstand 25 cents, and no charge for auto nor the parking of the auto.

The racers will be the same who took part in the annual state fair program led by Sam Ross, Michigan champion who drives a front wheel drive Miller special. Everyone of the stars took part in the Indianapolis race this year. The racers are to appear in five different races, all of them of competitive nature and are sanctioned by the American Automobile Association. They will be enroute from Escanaba where they are attending a fair this week.

## COUNCIL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION TO BE HELD HERE SEPT. 28

A four county council of religious education will be held in Grayling Friday, September 28th at the Michelson Memorial church. The counties comprising the council are Osceola, Roscommon, Ogemaw and Crawford, and similar programs will be given in Roscommon on Wednesday and in Mio on Thursday with several speakers present. This is a time to rally as the affair will be both inspirational and helpful. Citizens, parents, teachers and workers in the churches are urged to be present.

Following is the program:  
1:30 Get acquainted period.  
2:00 Praise and prayer service led by Rev. D. Earle of Frederic.  
2:30 "The Church organized for Religious Education" by A. Bebb. Discussion.

3:00 Good news hour—  
(a) "Our children's division Sunday school work" by Supt. of Primary Dept. Grayling Church—Mrs. J. W. Greenwood.

(b) "What our young people are doing" by Miss G. Fowler of Fairview.

(c) "Weak and strong points of my Sunday School" by Mrs. L. F. Schrock of Comins.

(d) "Possibilities in our Four-County program" by Rev. Peterson. Discussion after each subject.

4:00 "What can the men of the community do thru the Church School for the community" by Rev. A. Jones of Rose City.

4:30 "The Evangelistic emphasis in all our Sunday School sessions" by Rev. C. W. Starr of Markey.

5:00 Adjournment. Fellowship supper or lunch.

7:15 Praise and prayer service led by Rev. L. Sanders of West Branch. Special music furnished by the local church. Offertory.

8:00 Address "United for better service" by Rev. J. W. Greenwood.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted during our late bereavement, the death of Mrs. E. O. Scriver. Especially do we thank the friends of Maple Forest and those who sent the beautiful floral offerings, also Rev. Maxwell. Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Peck and relatives.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

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## TEACHERS MEETING SATURDAY FORENOON

There will be a meeting of the teachers of Crawford County in the assembly room of the Grayling high school September 22nd.

This meeting will begin at 8:30 Central Standard time and will close as near the noon hour as possible.

A program consisting of musical papers and talks will be given for teachers and for others who are interested in our schools. Superintendent W. D. Hill from the Department will be with us and will discuss and explain the Child Accounting System.

This meeting was planned by the Board of Examiners and we sincerely hope that all the teachers of Crawford County will be present. A hearty invitation to attend is also extended to school officers and to others interested in our schools.

John W. Payne,  
Commissioner of Schools.

## MOVE OFFICES TO TRAVERSE CITY

Announcement has been made by W. A. Wadsworth, vice president and general manager that the general offices of the Michigan Public Service Company, that have been located at Ludington have been moved to Traverse City. In addition to the general manager's personal staff, the removal there will bring the chiefs and personnel of the engineering, construction, maintenance, purchasing and commercial departments.

Material and supplies for all the property from Lakewood near Muskegon to Cheboygan, Gaylord and Grayling will be centralized and distributed from Traverse City and the electrical load of all the 16 generating plants will be dispatched from there.

## Michelson Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister

Sunday, September 23, 1928

10:30 A. M. Theme: "The Man Nobody Knows."

11:45 A. M. Church School.

6:30 P. M. Epworth League service.

7:30 P. M. Theme: "The Doctor."

"Inspired Salt"

In one of the new translations of the Bible, there is the suggestion of salt becoming insipid. Insipid salt is tasteless salt. It has no value except to be trampled underfoot, says Jesus. His suggestion as to Christian's place in the community, and his stinging rebuke of the life that does not possess "savour", is well expressed in the new use of the word "insipid". There are few words more pointed than that, and more calculated to arouse us to higher endeavor.

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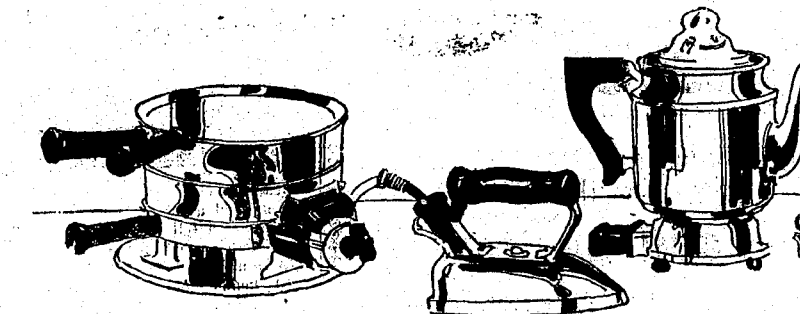
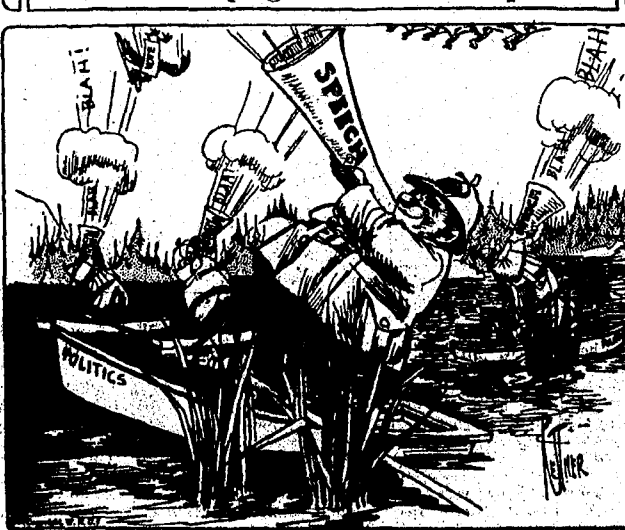
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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1928

Handy boy wants place to work for room and board and go to school. Leave word at Avalanche office.

## MRS. CHAS. EWALT PASSED AWAY

FUNERAL OF MRS. EWALT HELD IN MACKINAW SATURDAY

Mrs. Hazel Ewalt, wife of Charles Ewalt, former highly respected residents of Grayling but now of Mackinaw City passed away quite suddenly at her home Tuesday noon of last week. Although Mrs. Ewalt had been ailing for years her death came as a distinct shock to her family and friends.

The funeral of the deceased was held Saturday afternoon with services at the Ames Memorial M. E. church of that city. There was a large crowd of sorrowing friends in attendance among whom were the following from Grayling: Mrs. Adolph Peterson, Mrs. John Isenhauer, Mrs. L. J. Martin, Mrs. Victor Smith, Mrs. John Zeder, Mrs. Herbert Gothro, Mrs. Clarence Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Niederer and daughter Helen.

The Ewalt family resided in Grayling for many years or until a couple of years ago when Mr. Ewalt, who is employed by the M. C. was transferred to Mackinaw. They made hosts of warm friends here who extend their sincere sympathy to the remaining members of the family in their sorrow.

Those surviving are the husband, one daughter Arla, and two sons, Wayne and George, also the deceased's mother, Mrs. Force, two sisters and four brothers. The son Wayne with a friend had been enjoying a trip in the west and as he was on his way home it was necessary to postpone the funeral for a couple of days until his arrival. He received word of his mother's death while in South Dakota.

Von Elm Sets Record



George Von Elm set a new course record at Newport in the opening play of the gold medal tournament on T. S. Sutter's Tailor's private golf course. Ocean links. Von Elm equaled the course record for nine holes with a 32 and broke the record for 18 holes with a 65.

## ENDORSE TWIN IGNITION

Kenosha, Wis., Sept. 18.—When world fame or lonely death are balanced in the performance value of an internal combustion engine, the men who ride high adventure in these modern, speedy days must give expert and concentrated attention to mechanical details in order to live and blaze new trails.

Col. Arthur C. Goebel, winner of the Dole race from San Francisco to Hawaii and holder of the national coast to coast flight record, is authority for the statement that a sense of security due to the infallible performance of airplane motors actuated by twin-ignition has been a vital contributor to his spectacular success in the air. A single mistake in mechanical judgment, he points out in a letter to the Nash-Bryer Motor Company, Nash distributors in Los Angeles, can be fatal to these tests of speed and science.

Col. Goebel, Col. Lindbergh, Commander Byrd, Lieut. Maitland and John P. Wood, winner of the recent National Reliability Air Tour, have all backed their judgment with their lives and ambitions on the principle of twin-ignition. They are all alive and have won their goals!

Lindbergh chose a twin-ignition motor to carry him in the inspired flight that first spanned the Atlantic; and his motor won through storms, fog, sleet and adverse conditions never before faced by a gasoline engine. Byrd chose twin-ignition to blaze a seemingly impossible air trail to the earth's tip.

Col. Goebel chose twin-ignition to carry him over the Pacific to Hawaii and carry him there first among the fastest ships devised at that time. He won the great Dole race and wrote air history. Then, he chose twin-ignition in a high-compression, valve-in-head motor for his continuous flight across the continent, and the motor took him from Los Angeles to New York in 18 hours and 58 minutes—faster than man has ever traveled the distance.

His next move was to buy a new Nash "400" seven passenger sedan to insure the same kind of motor performance on the ground that won him immortal laurels in the air, and volunteered the following note of appreciation to the Nash-Bryer company:

"Just a note to let you know what I think of the twin-ignition, high compression motor in my new Nash '400' sedan.

"With two spark plugs per cylinder and two coils, it certainly takes full advantage of the higher compression ratio used, and without a doubt is the most advanced motor car plant to be had in an automobile today.

"I am hopping off for New York in an hour in my new Lockheed Vega plane, and the engine, of course, has twin-ignition.

"So, whether I'm on land or in the air, twin-ignition gives me a sense of security and satisfaction.

"Because of the fine performance of my previous Nash, I was certainly sold on Nash design and construction, but the new twin-ignition motor hastened my decision to buy a new '400'."

(signed) Col. Arthur C. Goebel.

## When a Man's a Bull

An authority on women's shops complains that the expression, "A man is a gift shop" should supersede the bull in the china shop as a symbol of the inappropriate.—Woman's Home Companion

## A Flapper Fad



Jean Arthur, Paramount player has started a new fad in Hollywood. She wears a felt replica of her favorite Scotch terrier on her frock. Now they're all doing it. The chain of tiny gold bands that attaches Fido to Jean's shoulder is for realism.

## DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

## Moon Cooled Rapidly

The moon, like the earth and other planets, was once a very hot body, as indicated by the volcanoes and eruptions seen on its surface. However, it cooled much more rapidly than the earth because of two things: It lacked the protecting blanket of atmosphere that helped the earth to retain its heat, and because it is much smaller than the earth.

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## FATIGUE CAUSES MOTOR ACCIDENTS

By Erwin Greer  
(President Greer School of Electrical and Automotive Trades, Chicago, Ill.)  
Investigations have shown there is not very much difference between the reactions of a person who is thoroughly fatigued and one who has become intoxicated from imbibing alcoholic stimulants. Mr. Greer, whose vision is blurred, thought is confused, the senses dulled and a lack of co-ordination exists between the will and the muscles.

For a much longer period than in the case of traffic, accurate accident records have been kept in the industries. Not only have records been kept, but a close study of causes has also been made. These show a direct relation between the accident rate, the severity rate and fatigue. The greater the fatigue of the workers, the greater the severity rate.

Although the records are not so complete in regard to motor car accidents, it does not require very much investigation to indicate beyond a question of a doubt that fatigue causes the deaths of many motorists. As a matter of fact, anyone who will stop to think can recall cases where fatigue was undoubtedly the cause of serious accidents.

Man can accomplish some amazing feats, but no man nor no woman can keep going for long without food, water and sleep. Food to him is what gas and oil are to the automobile engine. It is the material from which the power and the lubrication come. Water is as necessary to man as it is to an automobile radiator. Without water, he dries up, becomes overheated and dies. Sleep is the charging of the battery used to supply the sparks, without which there can be no real exertion.

Let a person go without food, let him go without water, let him go without sleep for a long enough period, let him go without any one of these things for a great period and fatigue results. If he is driving a car it is a death-dealing fatigue.

The only way to make touring or any long trips safe is to avoid fatigue, and it can be avoided only by eating sufficient and proper food, by drinking enough pure water and getting enough sleep that is sound and restful. In other words the driver has to give as much attention and use as much judgment in keeping himself in good driving condition as he does in keeping the car in good running condition. Failure to do this is surely playing with death.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks to our many Grayling friends, the members of the W. B. A. and I. O. O. F. lodges and the M. C. R. B. shop and for their kindness and beautiful expressions of sympathy during our late bereavement, the death of our beloved wife and mother.

Charles Ewalt and family,  
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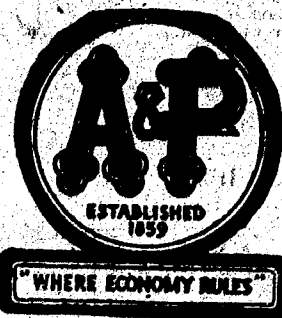
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Bread Grandmother's 24-oz twin loaf 9c

Campbell's Tomato Soup 3 cans 25c  
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Brillo Alluminum cleanser pkg 9c  
Candy Bars All 5c varieties 3 for 10c  
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FOR RENT—Modern, eight room house. Fine location. Furnace, bath, water, electricity, garage. Inquire of O. P. Schumann, realtor, Avalanche Office. Phone 111.

BARGAIN IN FINE FARM—Maple Forest township, trunkline highway, good market, fine climate and water. Offer includes stock and tools. Good terms. Inquire of O. P. Schumann, Avalanche, Bldg., Grayling. tf.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Near school. Six rooms; electric lights. Inquire of O. P. Schumann, Avalanche Office. Phone 111. tf.

WANTED TO BUY—Live stock of all kinds and poultry. Nick Long, Gaylord, Michigan. tf.

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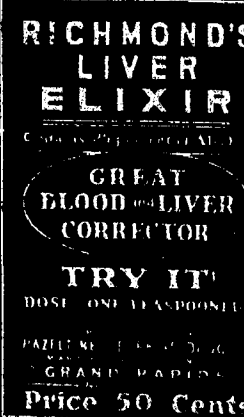
BARGAIN OFFER FOR 200 ACRES—Close to Grayling. Look this over if interested.—O. P. Schumann, realtor, Avalanche Bldg. Phone 111.

WANTED—Competent cook, year round position; small family, good wages. Address Mrs. John L. A. Galster, 903 E. Mitchell Street, Petoskey, Mich.

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Men's Overalls—all sizes \$1.50  
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A good line of Men's Work Sox of all kinds, at prices ranging from 13c to \$1.00 per pair.

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Boys' and Girls' Union Suits, sizes 8 to 12 years, each 1.00  
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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVANCEE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, September 21, 1905

Mrs. James McCallummore is visiting her daughters at West Branch and Butman.

Mrs. Woodworth has returned from her trip over millinery, and now we poor men can look for feathers and ribbons again.

James E. Bates of Maple Forest brought down samples of summer squash, that are large enough for warblers for a giant, and perfect in quality. Over two feet in length.

Dr. Underhill of the Au Sable Ranch Co., north of Lovells was in town the last of the week, reporting all progressing favorably and satisfactory sale of their first two carloads of cattle shipped this season.

Fred Hoeft finished threshing Monday and as a result has 127 bushels of buckwheat, 283 bushels of oats and 387 bushels of rye, and a straw stack as big as the opera house. Worthless country.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bennett of Chesaning, Sept. 15, a son, Miss Irene Burton who has been seriously ill is reported decidedly on the gain.

Mrs. M. Hanson and little daughter Lucile departed yesterday for Detroit, Toledo and other cities.

L. C. McCallemon and wife have gone to St. Paul, Minn., for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Reese.

Miss Princess Moon who has been visiting Miss Bertha Woodburn departed for her home yesterday.

Miss Bertha Woodburn went to Gaylord Monday to begin a course in the Normal school at that place, her many friends wish her success.

Mrs. Robt. Richardson returned from Detroit Tuesday morning. She

attended the Methodist conference while in the city.

Mrs. A. C. Perrin joined her husband here yesterday, they will make their home here, they are welcome addition to our village.

Among the visitors at the reunion this week we were glad to meet Mrs. A. H. Wisner, now of Holly, who was one of the old pioneers of our county.

Arthur Fournier spent the last two weeks of vacation and the first of school in Detroit and vicinity and took in the sights of the great Fair. He is satisfied with his outing, and gladly returns to his studies.

Masonic friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jones gave a reception in their honor at the Masonic Hall Monday evening. After an evening spent in social pleasures an elegant supper was served. Mr. Geo. L. Alexander in behalf of the friends of Mr. Jones presented him with an elegant rocker.

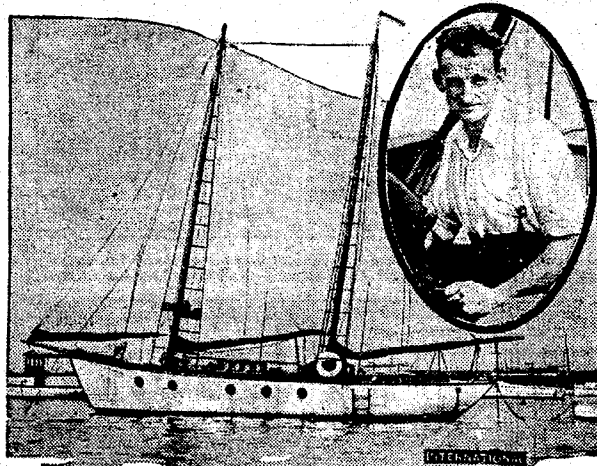
### DIPPING INTO SCIENCE

#### The Ears of Fish

The ears of fish are internal and consist of a very thin tissue corresponding to the human ear. In some species, in some types of fish, what was once a real gill has given up the function of breathing for that of hearing and now transmits sounds to the inner ear.

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## Starts Around World in Small Boat



This picture shows Edward Miles of Newark, N. Y., and his 37-footer, "The Sturdy," in which he left Pilgrims Yacht club pier, Gravesend, for a trip around the world. He designed and built the craft all himself. He is taking many books and an encyclopedia with him. His first stop will be Gibraltar.

## THE WONDERS OF SCIENCE

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK  
Dean of Mass. University of Illinois.

NO ONE I was incredulous; when people told me what science had done or could do in time, I shook my head. I didn't believe it, but I've come to the point now of believing anything I am told concerning scientific accomplishment. Some day soon somebody is going to invent a machine that will reveal to everyone what I'm thinking about—a thing I don't always quite know myself.

When we speak of the wonders of science we think naturally of the radio and the telephone and television and wireless telegraphy and all the amazing things which have been done with chemistry and electricity, but it is not of these that I am thinking most. I am staggered by what has been done, or has been said to be done, with the human body and the human mind.

The Bible tells us that when the Lord created man he caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam and took a rib from his side and out of that He formed a woman. Well, scientists haven't gone quite as far as that, but there is a long time ahead yet. Wilkins had his nose scattered pretty much all over his face in a football scrimmage when he was a senior in college. It was surely a complete wreck. He came in to see me not long ago with a perfectly beautiful nose on his face—the sort you read about in love stories and romance.

Briefly, Wilkins' surgeon had given him an anesthetic, had taken out a piece of his rib and with it had fixed up a perfectly good nose for him. I read a story the other day of a child born without arms. The doctor dug down and found some stumps of arms, dragged them out and attached artificial arms to the stumps and the child was able to get on quite satisfactorily. Some day they'll learn how to grow arms just as a starfish does. If you lack or lose an organ now there seems some easy way of supplying it. They graft on ears, shorten and lengthen legs, take out all unnecessary parts, and supply new ones to order.

I listened to a psychiatrist last week—a really enthusiastic one—who told what is now being done to the human mind. There is nothing, or next to nothing, to heredity, he asserts; it's all in environment and even if that's wrong, he can fix it. All our mental fears and weaknesses and shortcomings he assured us could be simply adjusted by a few easy treatments. He could take a girl, for instance, who is afraid of mice or snakes, and by fudging out what happened to her when she was little, he could fix things so she would walk right up to a mouse or a snake and put it on the back—gentle like, you know. He told of a man who had an awful temper. He'd wreck the furniture when he was in a tantrum and break up the dishes. The psychiatrist made a few passes and the fellow was as gentle as an oyster. There isn't anything impossible now, even with the dumb ones.

And some of it is really true! (© 1923, Western Newspaper Union.)

### Point of Interest

"How to Invest \$100,000" is what interests us.—Elgin (One) Recorder.

## Is Thirty the Love Deadline?

Fannie Hurst was born in St. Louis. After post-graduate work in literature at Columbia she married Jacques J. Donaghy of New York in 1918. This was an unusual marriage arrangement which attracted world-wide publicity—husband and wife agreeing to live separately but under each other's name at certain intervals. The arrangement has worked out successfully. She has made special study of the stage and shop girl and has written "THEY CAN'T TAKE THAT AWAY FROM ME," "GAS LIGHT SONNETS," "HUMOROUS," "STAR DUST," "THE VERTICAL CITY," "LUMMOX," and "MANNEQUIN." She is over thirty.

### By FANNIE HURST

Apparently Mr. Durant will have his joke! A man past thirty is incapable of love, he says, (if he said it) in manner grandiose enough to fill one with philosophia.

From the black hinterlands of middle-age comes a composite howl of query: Is man capable of love before thirty?

Biologically, yes. He may go wild or broke over a blonde (or even a brunette) chorine. But accepting the Durant-distilled definition: "Love is absolute devotion—the desire to give full service to another," what does under-thirty know of the kind of love that comes when a man has gained mastery of his passions and they no longer ride him, but are ridden by him?

To a man between his adolescence and his thirties, it is perpetually "sex o'clock." Those are the years when he needs to be reminded that the knee of a Ziegfeld beauty is, after all, only joint.

What youth under thirty, in the tortuously ecstatic years of discovering sex, can hope to know, before he has turned the corner of middle age, the large, the homely, the sedentary joys of eschewing the ballet slipper for the carpet-slipper.

What are the delirious and tormenting pangs of servitude at twenty-five, compared to the quiet joy of service that comes with thirty-five? The emotion of love, except in its strictly biological sense, is a development. It is no more natural for a man to be better equipped to take his F. I. D. degree before taking his college course, than it is for a man to be better equipped to love at twenty than at thirty.

Live, learn, and maybe you will love successfully.

Maybe.

Paolo and Francesca, Pelleas and Melisande, Romeo and Juliet have immortalized sex! But have they immortalized love?

What do we know about these beautiful young people beyond the point of palpitation and osculation? How far are we permitted to follow into their love lives? How deeply does poetry initiate us into their futures when the dawn of the morning-after comes up to the thunder of milk bottles on the dumb waiter.

Those are the years; the morning-after years after the fires have died to embers (or ashes) when a man begins to come into sufficient maturity to realize that it is better to give than to receive; that it is better to love than to be loved, provided you are the lover. Therefore the giver.

No two people love one another equally. One must always give more. It is apt to take the wisdom of past-thirty to realize the blessedness of that kind of giving.

I'd rather be thirty than Romeo. Young love is lyrical, but dumb. A favorite indoor sport for wintry evenings is to figure out the obvious, the two hundred and forty-first in which those two nice Capulet and Montague youngsters, caught in the tempestuous trap of youth, could have celebrated their way out of their difficulties into a happy, if unsmug maturity.

Sex and youth are only the vanguards of maturity and love.

It is both erudite and sometimes enlightening to call in the Greeks when in doubt. The Greeks had a great deal to say about rationalization and love. It does, however, seem to this observer that here is a subject upon which we have a certain advantage over the Greeks. We have had many hundreds of years in which to experiment beyond the point where they left off. We no longer accept their astronomy or their geology or their physics. Why take their love-science too seriously?

Mr. Durant, however, seems to have accepted the Greek conclusion that, biologically speaking, no rational man ever falls in love after thirty.

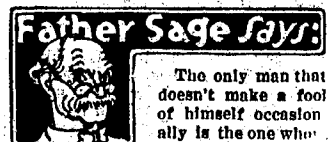
This observer is inclined to believe that the rationalization of man and the rationalization of love go hand in hand.

The vantage ground of her observations is unassailable. She has been twenty. She has been thirty. She is after-thirty.

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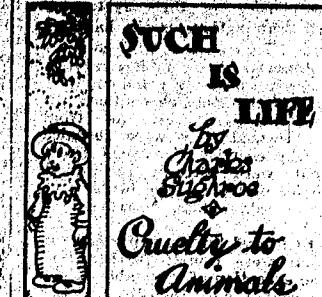
### Best Proof of Humanity

Humanity is much more shown in our conduct toward animals, where we are irresponsible except to heaven, than toward our fellow creatures, where we are restrained by the laws of public opinion and by fear of retaliation.—Paul Chatfield.



The only man that doesn't make a fool of himself occasionally is the one whose nature saved him trouble.

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### FISH AND GAME EXHIBITS AT FAIRS

Lansing, Sept. 10.—The fair exhibit of the State Conservation Department attracted much interest at Detroit last week, according to the observation of P. J. Hoffmaster, State Director of Parks, who was in charge of the exhibit. Fish and wild life specimens and educational exhibits revealing the character of the different classes of work being done by the respective divisions constituted the show. Dates for future showings are as follows: Sept. 10-15, Jackson, Grand Rapids, Cadillac and Saginaw fairs; Sept. 17-22, Alpena, Traverse City, Escanaba and Kalamazoo fairs; Sept. 24-29, Houghton fair.

A night club is an institution run by a city slicker for the benefit of those from out of town who are not supposed to know any better.

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Marius Jorgenson, Assignee of Walmer Jorgenson.

Place of business, Grayling, Michigan.  
To Alice E. Culver, last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.  
In the matter of the estate of Charles B. Primeau, late of the Village of Grayling, said County, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the first day of September A. D. 1928, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the seventh day of January A. D. 1929, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the seventh day of January A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated September first A. D. 1928.  
GEORGE SORENSON,  
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
George Sorenson,  
Judge of Probate.

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.  
At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the 4th day of September A. D. 1928.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Solon O. Richardson, Jr., deceased.  
Jennie B. Richardson, the legal appointed executor having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered that the first day of October A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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W 1/2 of NW 1/4 sec. 17, town 25 N, range 2 W. Amount paid \$13.55 tax for year 1921.

NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec. 17, town 25N, range 2W. Amount paid \$4.51 tax for year 1921. Paid as a condition of purchase (the 1924 tax).

Amount necessary to redeem, \$41.12 plus the fees of the sheriff.  
Augustus Funck, place of business, Grayling, Michigan.

To Geo. Potts, of Detroit, Mich., and Hattie C. Cattermole, of Ypsilanti, and Michigan Central Railroad Company last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

Said Geo. Potts and Hattie C. Cattermole, holding title under Homestead Tax land deed, grantees under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest year's taxes appearing of record in said registry of deeds.

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County of Wayne.

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Dated July 27th, 1928.  
My fees, \$1.00.

IRA WILSON,  
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By John Nelbor,  
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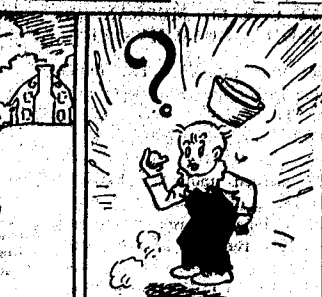
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Amount necessary to redeem, \$40.48 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

John Bruun, place of business Grayling, Michigan.

To Ellis C. Talmadge, Romain M. Conger and Maurice J. Nathanson, last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

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GEORGE SORENSON  
Judge of Probate

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SCIENCE CLEARS MORGANISERS  
IN TROUT-STREAM MYSTERY

Murder was alleged. The indictment charged wholesale destruction of life. The evidence was strong, seemed almost conclusive but was circumstantial rather than positive. The plaintiffs agreed upon a submission of facts for a disinterested scientific analysis. Science cleared the defendant, and fully restored his character.

This, briefly, is the story of a case that originated in California and was determined in Washington, D. C. The complaining parties were sportsmen and anglers in northern California. Their grievance was the disappearance of trout from a stream in the

vicinity. The suspects were morganisers, commonly called fish ducks, which frequented the stream and were known to live largely on a fish diet. The circumstantial evidence pointed to the conclusion that the morganisers were destroying the trout, and depriving the anglers of prized sport.

To settle the question of guilt, appeal was made to the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture. The biologists asked for a more complete presentation of evidence, in the form of the stomachs of several ducks shot under the circumstances least favorable to the ducks; that is, immediately after they had been feeding. The sportsmen forwarded to the Biological Survey several stomachs of suspected morganisers. Scientists skilled in the work

were available for this system of stomach examinations is the basis of scientific findings as to the comparative desirability or undesirability of many species of birds and animals. Analysis of the stomach contents exonerated the morganisers as trout eaters. Instead they were revealed as doughty enemies of several creatures that were already recognized as enemies of trout. The birds were conservers rather than destroyers of trout.

The Biological Survey reported that "no trout were found; furthermore, with the exception of vegetable debris (10 per cent in one stomach) and the remains of a water strider and a predaceous bug (1 per cent), the entire food of the five birds consisted of creatures detrimental to the welfare

of trout. The sculpins as well as the sticklebacks, on which the birds fed, are notorious spawn eaters, and the crawfish, likewise, are guilty of such depredations.

"This appears to be another case," the report continued, "in which the complete chain of evidence was not apparent to the field observer. Trout streams frequently contain other fishes that may be even more detrimental to the trout than morganisers or herons. The birds in question are in evidence; they are known to feed on fish; and hence get the blame, although undeservedly, for trout destruction."

PRESIDENT COMMENDS KIWANIS  
IS FOREST PROJECT

(By E. M. T. Service)

President Calvin Coolidge, attracted by the gigantic reforestation project of Michigan Kiwanis in the Huron National Forest, has written Harry B. Black, of Flint, lieutenant governor a letter of commendation. Colonel R. Y. Stuart, U. S. forester, Washington, D. C., plans to attend the dedication of the 5,000 acre forest and the initiation of the planting September 21 and 22. Another visitor will be Colonel Allen S. Peck, district U. S. forester, Denver, Colorado. Representatives of the state conservation department and the forestry schools of the University of Michigan and the Michigan State College, together with men and women interested in Michigan's reforestation problems have accepted invitations to attend the two-day meeting.

President Coolidge in his letter says:

"In underwriting the planting of 5,000 acres of Federal land you made a substantial contribution toward the solution of one of the most urgent problems before the American people today, the maintenance of adequate timber supplies for the needs of the Nation. I am informed that you propose to continue the good work and next year to underwrite the planting of a second 5,000 acres. It is very gratifying to me to know this.

"I wish that you would convey to the members of your Order my appreciation of the work they have done and the spirit in which it has been undertaken. It will serve as an example and encouragement to all who are giving thought to our forest problems and who seek a way to give expression to that thought in practical accomplishment."

## STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said County, on the 8th day of September A. D. 1928.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Eliza O. Scriver, deceased.

Sarah O. Peck, a sister of said deceased, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration, and settlement of said estate be granted to Merle F. Nollist of the Village of Grayling in said County, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 8th day of October A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
George Sorenson, Judge of Probate. 9-13-3

## STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the 4th day of September A. D. 1928.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Perry Ostrander, deceased.

Elmer Ostrander, a son of said deceased having filed in said court his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is ordered, that the first day of October A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
George Sorenson, Judge of Probate. 9-6-3

## STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said County, on the 24th day of August A. D. 1928.

Present, Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Fritz Kraus, deceased.

Emil Kraus, a son of said deceased, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration and settlement of said estate be granted to Ben. B. Kraus or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 1st day of October A. D. 1928, at ten a. m., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.  
George Sorenson, Judge of Probate. 8-30-3

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
OFFICE OF THE STATE BOARD OF  
EQUALIZATION

Lansing, August 21, 1928

We hereby certify that the valuation of the several counties in the State of Michigan as equalized by the State Board of Equalization at its regular session in the year 1928, as provided by Act No. 44, of the Public Acts of 1911, as amended, is as follows:

Counties	Valuation as equalized by Board of Supervisors, 1928.	Amount added by State Board of Equalization in 1928.	Amount deducted by State Board of Equalization in 1928.	Aggregate of valuation as equalized by State Board of Equalization in 1928.	Percentage of State tax.
Alcona	\$ 4,160,000	\$ 250,000		\$ 4,410,000	.00053771
Alger	10,954,805			10,954,805	.00127807
Allegan	42,000,000	8,764,000		50,764,000	.00818966
Alpena	17,263,165			17,263,165	.00204330
Antism	1,014,932	41,468		1,056,400	.00086034
Arenac	5,277,622	994,378		6,272,000	.00076475
Baraga	9,128,000			9,128,000	.00112322
Barry	21,920,550	7,470,450		29,400,000	.00358474
Bay	76,092,589	59,411		76,146,000	.00928449
Benzie	5,134,212		234,212	4,900,000	.00059746
Berrien	54,503,153	11,336,847		105,840,000	.01290508
Branch	24,678,398	12,564,602		37,240,000	.00454068
Calhoun	108,159,535	30,020,465		138,180,000	.01684830
Cass	24,414,680	5,965,320		30,380,000	.00370424
Charlevoix	10,704,707	555,293		11,260,000	.00137293
Cheboygan	8,422,000	692,000		9,114,000	.00111127
Chippewa	26,507,230	3,882,770		29,390,000	.00364449
Cire	5,300,000	1,860,000		7,160,000	.00083644
Clinton	28,500,200	8,160,800		36,750,000	.00448093
Crawford	3,000,000	234,000		3,234,000	.00039432
Delta	19,140,718	4,575,282		23,716,000	.00289189
Dickinson	26,709,443	1,455,537		28,175,000	.00343538
Easton	34,000,000	14,020,000		48,020,000	.00585508
Emmet	14,915,000		215,000	14,700,000	.00179237
Genesee	243,550,165	65,214,515		308,764,680	.03764771
Gladwin	6,439,078	420,922		6,860,000	.00083644
Gogebic	61,823,359	5,208,011		67,031,370	.00817912
Grand Traverse	16,647,611		477,611	16,170,000	.00197151
Gratiot	40,000,000	9,580,000		49,580,000	.00604529
Hillsdale	30,958,352	12,059,648		43,018,000	.00524519
Houghton	38,550,568	11,449,432		50,000,000	.00609650
Huron	35,447,800	8,644,200		44,092,000	.00537614
Ingham	195,633,261	10,166,739		205,800,000	.02509321
Ionia	36,754,478	7,345,522		44,100,000	.00537712
Iosco	7,002,873	837,127		7,840,000	.00095693
Iron	38,609,899	3,438,101		42,048,000	.00512618
Isabella	20,670,970	670,030		21,340,000	.00264576
Jackson	142,562,249	823,591		143,385,840	.01745866
Kalamazoo	122,329,643	20,848,357		143,178,000	.01745771
Kalkaska	3,385,886		157,886	3,228,000	.00039359
Kent	336,770,782	41,509,218		378,280,000	.04612372
Keweenaw	11,459,899	1,280,101		12,740,000	.00155339
Lake	2,866,412		710,412	2,156,000	.00026284
Lapeer	27,000,000	7,398,000		34,398,000	.00419415
Leelanau	6,485,000	179,000		6,664,000	.00081254
Lenawee	83,130,060		1,662,660	81,467,400	.00993933
Livingston	32,000,000	2,300,000		34,300,000	.00418200
Luce	8,036,000	98,000		8,134,000	.00099178
Macatawa	8,150,617		16,617	8,134,000	.00099178
Macomb	124,131,013	4,198,987		128,330,000	.01655339
Manistee	16,826,335		166,335	16,660,000	.00203136
Marquette	60,347,000	6,342,000		66,689,000	.00813140
Mason	17,408,810		258,810	17,150,000	.00209110
Mecosta	13,224,460	495,540		13,720,000	.00167288
Menominee	22,866,798	653,202		23,520,000	.00286780
Midland	17,746,100	971,900		18,718,000	.00228229
Missaukee	3,957,500	256,500		4,214,000	.00051381
Monroe	73,850,016	6,999,984		80,850,000	.00995804
Montcalm	30,000,000	380,000		30,380,000	.00370424
Montmorency	2,800,000		56,000	2,744,000	.00034568
Muskegon	103,198,751		9,118,751	94,080,000	.01147118
Newaygo	16,717,640		57,640	16,660,000	.00203136
Oakland	302,148,500	75,151,500		377,300,000	.04600422
Oceana	12,851,846	868,154		13,720,000	.00167288
Ogemaw	4,600,000	988,000		5,588,000	.00069515
Ontonagon	9,650,636	2,893,364		12,544,000	.00152949
Oscoda	10,000,000	721,000		10,721,000	.00130721
Oscoda	2,000,000		40,000	1,960,000	.00023938
Otsego	5,123,000		27,000	5,096,000	.00062136
Ottawa	61,002,824	8,577,176		69,580,000	.00848390
Presque Isle	8,789,505		567,505	8,222,000	.00100373
Roscommon	2,659,504		699,504	1,960,000	.00023898
Saginaw	132,000,000	21,860,000		153,860,000	.01876016
Sanilac	34,024,835	10,067,165		44,092,000	.00537614
Schoulercraft	9,001,130	502,870		9,504,000	.00115882
Shiawassee	42,221,110	8,828,890		51,050,000	.00622453
St. Clair	100,320,185	7,479,815		107,800,000	.01314408
St. Joseph	36,459,695	6,170,305		42,630,000	.00519788
Tuscola	31,515,751	8,556,249		40,072,000	.00489818
Van Buren	32,000,000	7,200,000		39,200,000	.00477966
Washtenaw	110,873,995	21,426,005		132,300,000	.01613135
Wayne	4,476,658,500	439,058,500		4,915,717,000	.49230494
Wexford	14,989,240	494,760		15,484,000	.00188797
Totals	8,126,361,900	529,561,523	454,502,508	8,201,420,920	

ORAMEL B. FULLER,  
Chairman of the State Board of Equalization.

HAROLD B. FULLER,  
Secretary of the State Board of Equalization.

## STATE OF MICHIGAN

Auditor General's Office,  
Lansing, August 28, 1928.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the foregoing is a true transcript of the determination of the State Board of Equalization as filed in my office on the 21st day of August, 1928.

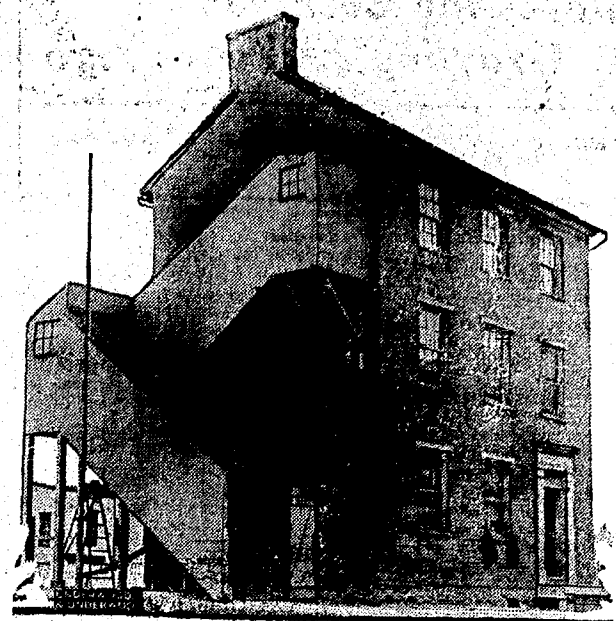
Oramel B. Fuller,  
Auditor General.

## Evening Gown of Velvet



Showing a stunning evening gown of transparent velvet which promises to be prominent in the fall and winter modes. Note the uneven hemline and bow effect on the back of the dress.

## Historic Schoolhouse Discovered



America's most historic schoolhouse, in which some of the country's famous leaders attended, has been located in Alexandria by Charles H. Callahan, past grand master of Masons in Virginia. It was built in 1785, and George Washington is supposed to have been one of the trustees. Among the distinguished pupils were George Washington Parke Custis and Gen. Robert E. Lee. Mr. Callahan has obtained permission from the city council to excavate around this building, which is now used as a school for boys, to be certain that this is the old school.

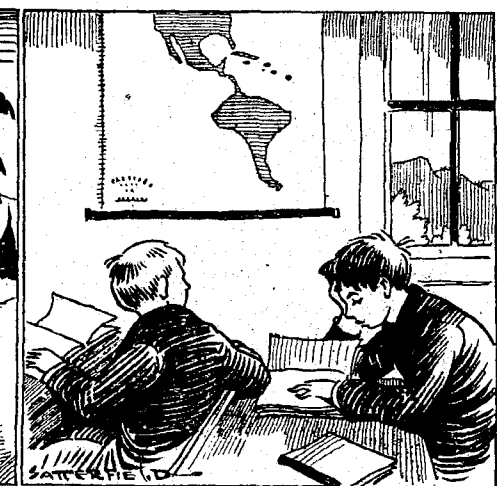
## PICTORIAL LIFE OF HERBERT HOOVER

No. 6

By Satterfield



1. When Herbert Hoover was eleven, he moved from Iowa to Oregon to live with Uncle John Minthorn.



2. Dr. Minthorn had a farm and an academy for boys. Herbert attended the academy and helped on the farm.



3. After a year, Uncle John went into business in Salem. Herbert's first business experience was as office boy.



4. "Why don't you go in for engineering?" suggested a mining engineer who came into Uncle John's office.

## PICTORIAL LIFE OF HERBERT HOOVER

No. 7

By Satterfield



1. Herbert Hoover entered Stanford University in 1891. Engineering was his goal.



2. Baseball was his favorite college sport, and he proved an expert at the strategy of the game.



3. His first field work as an engineer apprentice was in the Quark Mountains, during college vacation.



4. While working his way through college he met Lou Henry, now Mrs. Hoover. She promised to wait.



# HEATING STOVES!

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We will also have a line of the well known sheet-iron air tight heaters. Have a new stove this season. Watch our window display of stoves.

**Hanson Hardware Co.**

PHONE 21

## LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1928

Miss Marie Schmidt has entered the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor to take a course in music.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Murphy and daughter Mary and friend Helen Mulegan spent Wednesday at the Gaylord fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Schoonover and daughter Pauline motored to Alpena and Rogers City Sunday and on Tuesday took in the fair at Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Feldhauser enjoyed a visit from the latter's brother, Joseph, and a nephew, George Staugh of Ann Arbor from Thursday to Monday.

Miss Ellen Johnson, a graduate of the Grayling Mercy Hospital Training School for Nurses left for Ann Arbor last week where she has secured a position on the nursing staff at the University Hospital.

Miss Fedora Montour returned home Wednesday from a few days' vacation in Ann Arbor and Traverse City. Going last Saturday she was accompanied as far as Standish by her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bousson.

Mrs. Rasmus Hanson is enjoying a brand new Cadillac.

The Sunday News issue received on Thursdays, now on sale at Mac & Gidley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bebb and family left Tuesday to spend a few days visiting relatives in Bay City.

Mrs. Harry Sorenson and two children returned Sunday from a couple of weeks' visit with relatives in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Feldhauser and son Arthur returned on Wednesday of last week from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. William G. Feldhauser in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. William McEvers and two children returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit in Pontiac with her daughter, Mrs. Irving Towns.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Michelson Memorial church will hold a bake sale at the Grayling Hardware store, Saturday afternoon, Sept. 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Holger Hanson and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. George Dury left this morning for a trip to the Soo and other northern points, possibly a trip through Canada. They will be gone for several days.

The postponed meeting of St. Mary's Altar society will be held at the home of Mrs. Louis Kessler on Tuesday afternoon, September 25th. This is an important meeting and all members are urged to be present. There will be a pot luck lunch.

**Your Appearance—**  
the care of her personal charms

is a subject of careful attention for the well groomed woman.

To aid her we offer the complete facilities of our shop. The new Gaborien Permanent is our specialty. They are only \$10.

Marcelles, Facials, Manicures—given by an experienced operator at

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MINNIE DAUGHERTY Prop.

Phone No. 9



**We Stand Ready to Serve You**

Whatever you may want today, tomorrow or next week, in the way of meats, we stand ready to fill your order completely and satisfactorily.

Our Mary Jane Cottage Cheese is delicious, and our Oleo is fine spread on bread.

**Burrow's Market**

PHONE No. 2

Mrs. Maude Corwin was called to West Branch Wednesday owing to the illness of her sister.

Mrs. Harold Jarvin is spending the week in Bay City visiting her mother, Mrs. G. B. Hawthorne.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar A. Murray of Detroit are enjoying a several days sojourn at their lodge on the Ausable.

Mr. and Mrs. William McNeven and daughter Nadine motored to Rosebush to visit friends over the week end.

John Murphy, wife and daughter Mary and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carr spent last Saturday at Rose City and West Branch.

Many from Grayling attended the Top O' Michigan Fair at Gaylord last week.

Miss Genevieve Montour returned Sunday from a two weeks vacation spent in Standish and Detroit. In Detroit she visited Martha Bidvia.

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the Legion hall next Tuesday evening, Sept. 25th. All members are urged to be present. Pot luck lunch.

Otto Failing left for Detroit Tuesday night, called there to be examined for a pension. During his absence his sister Mrs. Jesse Babbitt is a guest of Mrs. Failing at the Lake.

Carl Tahvonen and crew of workmen who have been working on the McCloud cottage at Otsego Lake, have postponed the work until a later date and are home to take up their work here.

I am offering a splendid force pump with pipe and point for \$5.00 if taken at once. It is a used pump but I give you my personal guarantee that it will work satisfactorily or money refunded. J. W. Sorenson.

Harold Bailey of Gaylord was chosen by a committee of farm experts from a field of ten entrants as the champion farmer of Otsego County at the fair last week. He is the son of the late R. D. Bailey who was our county agent.

Those who came to be in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. E. O. Scrivner were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wright and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dildine and Albert Sewell of Lansing; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Easeman and Dick Sewell of Flint.

Miss Maude Pillsbury of Lansing is spending the week here the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Malcolm McLeod of Birchwood lodge. Over Sunday the McLeods entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Landers and family also of Lansing. Mrs. Landers will be remembered as Marie Pillsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Powell and children of Detroit spent the week end at Lake Margrethe visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Powell. On their return Sunday they were accompanied by Mr. Powell who is leaving to take up his theatrical work for the winter season.

Mrs. Holger C. Schmidt and son Howard have gone to Flint, where they will remain for the winter. Mr. Schmidt and son Devere remaining here. They have rented their home on Michigan Avenue to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard, the former who is manager of the meat department of the A. & P. Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Davidson of Bay City and a party of other Bay City friends, who are all known to Grayling people just returned from Toronto, where they attended the big annual fair and exposition. The party besides the Davidsons included Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCargo, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Flynn and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shaw.

Wilfred Cohen and his employer Mr. Joseph Garner of Detroit spent the week end as guests of Emil Kraus and family. They enjoyed fishing at the Lake in spite of high winds and rough water. Efnor Matson returned to Detroit with them where he is visiting for the week with his daughters Mrs. Don W. Mewhinney and Miss Janet Matson.

The Whitney-Schram Orchestra, completing their engagement at the Top O' Michigan fair, left Saturday for Flint, where they opened a winter season at the Casino Inn that night, where they also played last winter. The orchestra had a good season at Collen's Inn, Lake Margrethe and during the summer also played one night a week at the fair grounds at Gaylord, where they drew large crowds. Grayling people enjoyed dancing very much to the Whitney-Schram Red Stripes.

Tonight the graduation exercises of Mercy Hospital Training School for nurses will be held at the High School auditorium. Following the program the reception will take place with dancing in the gymnasium. The exercises will begin at eight o'clock and the address to nurses will be given by Rev. Lieut. Col. Dunigan of Flint who is well known in Grayling and hardly needs any introduction to our people. Several local people will take part in the program with a couple of musical numbers under direction of Mrs. C. G. Clippert. The public is cordially invited to be present.

A recent visitor at St. Helen was State Forester Schaaf of Lansing, during an inspection trip to the state forest reserve of Ogemaw and Roscommon counties. In remarking on the encouraging growth of young trees Mr. Schaaf said: "I wonder if the public generally are conscious of the wonderful change in the general appearance of the vast acreage of state owned lands in the north during the last few years, during which time the state has done so much in the way of forest fire prevention. Eight or ten years ago a trip through the north was marred by the sight of blackened stumps and stubs of trees on every hand. These unsightly reminders of forest fires are being gradually covered by the new growth and the whole countryside is taking on a much more pleasing appearance."

Kendall Stinchcomb of Alma has reentered Grayling High School for this year.

If you want real thrills attend the Auto races at Gaylord fair grounds next Sunday.

Don't forget the bake sale at the Grayling Hardware Saturday afternoon, Sept. 22nd.

Clarence Ingalls and a friend of Flint were week end visitors at the Ingalls home here.

Mrs. George Burke was called to Algonac last week by the serious illness of her daughter.

Mrs. Alvin LaChapelle left Monday night to visit relatives in St. Paul, Minn., for about a week.

Watch for further announcement of the big show that is to take place on October 23rd and 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bronson of Hastings are guests at the O. P. Schumann home for a few days.

Esbarn Hanson, Jr. left Wednesday for Delafield, Wis., to continue his studies at St. John's Military School.

Now is the time to order your Yuletide greetings. We have a very fine line to show you at the Avalanche Office.

N. C. Neilsen of East Tawas was in Grayling Tuesday on business and while here visited his daughter, Mrs. W. J. Heric and family.

Mrs. James Reynolds Sr. and son Don and her grandson Donald Smock are spending the week in Muskegon visiting another son Claude Reynolds and family.

Henry Trudeau of Midland drove up Sunday to accompany his wife home. Mrs. Trudeau had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Brown, for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Culligan and little daughter Patricia of Grand Rapids are spending the week here guests of the former's brother, Rev. J. L. Culligan.

The social evening and dancing party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Ackers Saturday was well attended and enjoyed by all, as was the pot luck lunch served at midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Smith had as their guests Sunday, Mr. Edward Schwalm and family of Richfield township, Roscommon county, and Dean DeLaMater of Gaylord.

Emerson Brown who has been playing with the Lorenzo orchestra at Harbor Springs for the season spent a few days at his home here and left Tuesday for Petoskey on business.

Harold McNeven is absent from the Schlotz grocery this week and next on his vacation and, with Mrs. McNeven and daughter Gloria is spending the time in Detroit visiting relatives and friends.

A bright eyed, dark haired little lady came home with Mr. and Mrs. William Heric from Grand Rapids last Sunday and is now a much admired member of the Heric family. She will be known as Patsy Hope Heric.

Providing orders received warrant our bringing in carload shipments, we can furnish 16 inch hand split dry beech and maple body wood at \$6.00 per cord delivered anywhere in town. If interested, telephone No. 59. Kerry & Hanson Flooring Co.

Henry Peterson of Marlette is spending the week here visiting old friends, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rasmussen. On his return home the last of the week he will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Rasmussen who will visit in Marlette and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fehr were called to St. Johns last Thursday evening by the death of Mrs. Carl LeBaron. Mrs. Fehr, whose parents died when she was a young girl was brought up in the LeBaron home and she claimed them as her foster parents.

The drug store at Roscommon, operated by D. D. Pattie & Company for years changed hands last week. Henry J. DeWaele and son Howard have formed a copartnership and the new firm name is the DeWaele Drug Company. The junior member of the firm, who is a graduate in pharmacy will have active charge of the store. The DeWaele family were former residents of Grayling and are frequent visitors in our community. Mr. Pattie will go to Columbus, North Carolina where he has erected a business block containing several stores.

R. K. Gunther of Cheboygan is the new relief operator at the local West-Union office, where he will work three days each week that the other operators may each have a day off working but six days when they have always had to work seven. The balance of the week he will relieve other operators between here and Mackinaw City. Mr. and Mrs. Anstetter took advantage of the relief yesterday and spent the day in Detroit.

Mrs. O. W. Hanson and daughter Margrethe left by train Saturday for Saginaw, where they were met by Miss Ella who had motored that far with her cousin, Miss Virginia Hanson. Mrs. Hanson and daughter went on to Detroit to spend a few days before the young ladies leave for Millbrook, N. Y., where they attend the Bennett School. Miss Virginia was joined in Saginaw by her father, T. W. Hanson, who accompanied her to Chicago where she attends school.

The death of Mrs. Emma Kennedy, widow of James Kennedy, occurred at Mercy Hospital Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, where she had been taken Friday suffering from erysipelas. Mrs. Kennedy was born in New York September 8, 1858, and was 70 years and 7 days old. For seven years Mrs. Kennedy had been living in Grayling with her son Harley and family who have the sympathy of many friends in their sorrow. Funeral services were held yesterday, conducted by Rev. J. W. Greenwood of the Michelson Memorial church, after which the remains were taken to Wolverine for burial.

## A Sale of Men's Shirts

12 dozen new Broadcloth Fancy Shirts with collars attached. Regular \$1.50 values—2 for

**\$1.98** All fast colors.

**Men!** Our showing of new Suits in the latest styles and patterns are real values—good all wool fabrics, wonderfully tailored, and priced to meet the keenest competition.

**\$22.50 \$25.00 and \$30.00** (extra pants \$5.00)

## Ladies' and Misses' Coats

Beautiful fur trimmed Coats with appealing style. Fabrics, furs and style bespeak a much higher price.

**\$19.50 \$25.00 \$35.00 \$39.50**

**HUNTERS—**An extensive showing of Stag Coats, Caps, Breeches, Shirts, Hi-top Shoes, etc.

## Grayling Mercantile Co.

*The Quality Store*

Grayling, Michigan

Phone 1251

Frank LaVack and family have moved into the Dell Wheeler house on Lake Street.

Herbert Gothro has returned to his work at the McCullough barber shop after a two weeks vacation spent in Cleveland, Ohio. He was accompanied by his daughter Ellen.

Rev. Cope of Caro stopped in Grayling yesterday on his way home from Conference at the Soo to call on old friends, as he was at one time pastor of the Methodist church here. Rev. Cope has retired from regular work in the ministry, but is still a member of the conference and is often called on to preach.

It is reported that Ben Yoder, who is employed at the Old Automobile factory in Lansing, was badly burned while working on high tension wires. It was necessary for him to remain at a hospital for three days.

Our 1928 Christmas Greeting line has arrived and we are ready to take orders. Either call at the office or call us by telephone and we will see that you receive our sample book so as to make your selection. The line is more beautiful than ever this year.

O. P. Schumann is in Detroit in attendance at the Republican State convention held there this week, as a delegate from Grayling. He was accompanied by Miss Helen, who is spending a few days in Detroit before going to East Lansing, where she will continue her studies at Michigan State College.

Marion Wilkinson Sr., wife and little daughter Irene of Kalamazoo spent Labor Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Murphy. Mr. Wilkinson and Mrs. Murphy are brother and sister. Other guests at the Murphy home over Labor Day were three nephews of Mrs. Murphy and their families, Levi Wilkinson, wife and son, Marion Wilkinson Jr., and Allie Wilkinson and wives, all of Kalamazoo.



**Bakery Goodies for All Occasions**

Our bake shop goodies are noted for their freshness, their tastiness, and the low prices which makes it more economical to shop here than to bake at home.

Our bread, pies, cookies, cakes, rolls, muffins, etc., are the finest in Grayling, for they are made of the purest ingredients—and baked under the most sanitary conditions. Baked fresh daily.

**Model Bakery**

A. R. CRAIG, Prop. Phone 16

## New Fall Hats

75 new Styles for Ladies' and Misses

**\$2.98 to \$5.00**

Butterfly Skirts with Black Velvet Jackets—new

**\$5.50 each**

**Read the Avalanche and get all the home news. It may not save your life but it will save you money**

## Our Bulletin

**The Busy Shopper's Guide**

## House Paint at Less Money

House paint prices seem to be rather unsettled this fall and to meet this condition we are offering you, until further notice, our best outside house paint only at 50 cents off per gallon. We invite you to take advantage of this lower price.

### Dressing Table

with triple mirrors, American walnut finish. Regular price \$43.50.

**Special \$25.00**

### Oval Mirror

bevel French plate 18x40 in. 4 inch frame, walnut finish.

**Special \$7.90**

### Chair and Rocker

Combination High Chair and Rocker, oak, golden finish.

**Special price \$7.30**

### Children's Rockers

One lot of Children's Rockers, red posts and arms, reed back and seat, slightly damaged

**Price as is \$1.00 each**

## Our Variety Department Bargains

A splendid assortment of Glacine Shades for bridge and table lamp. Your choice **\$1.98**

## Turkish Towels

22x42 white with borders in assorted colors. Would be a bargain at 50c. Our price **34c each**.

## Tea Pots

Hard baked earthen body, rich mahogany brown, strong and durable, **48c.**

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## COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY EXPANDS

By Wayne W. Putnam, Assistant Vice President Union Trust Co., Detroit.  
(Written for the Crawford Avalanche.)

Expansion is taking place in commerce and industry as the fall season opens. There is less spottiness now than at any time during the last twelve months and prosperity is more diffused. Despite high money rates, extensive speculation in securities, political uncertainties, narrow profit margins, increased commercial failures and marked slackness in the cotton and woolen textile industries, general business is gaining steadily and is on a higher level than it was a year ago. During the autumn months the trend of economic activity, in view of the present favorable prospects, should be definitely upward.

Crop yields this year have been generous, showing, on September 1, a general average of 3.3 per cent above the harvests of the last ten years. The general level of farm prices, according to the August 15 report issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, was seven points higher than on the same date last year. Large crops at reasonable prices not only bring prosperity to the farmer but also stabilize the cost of living, aid numerous manufacturing lines and increase the earnings of the railroads. Car requirements for the moving of the bountiful crops are being met expeditiously by the carriers. Railroad efficiency has been making a distinct contribution to the country's sustained prosperity, a contribution which would be difficult to devalue. Loadings of revenue freight have been increasing, a gain of 36,108 cars over the preceding week being recorded for the week ended September 1.

The steel industry is operating at over 80 per cent of capacity, a level substantially above that of a year ago. Unfilled tonnage of the United States Steel Corporation was greater at the beginning of September than for the corresponding date in any of the past three years. Automobile output in August established a new high record. Production for the near future at least will hold at a high level, since the demand for cars continues heavy. Employment conditions continue to improve. Construction activity remains at a high rate. Inventories are moderate, pending substantial purchases for fall requirements. July exports totaled \$378,768,065.00, which was \$36,859,059.00 greater than during the same month in 1927. The commodity price level continues to move within narrow limits. More intelligent handling of instalment selling has brought about the removal of many of the dangers which had been creeping into that situation, resulting in the strengthening of a former weak spot in the economic structure.

Comprehensive reports from over one hundred Michigan bankers, Chamber of Commerce secretaries, and other business executives indicate that a substantial revival is taking place in industry following a summer of more than ordinary activity. Nearly all lines are participating in the improved situation. Automobile and

auto parts and accessory plants, of course, are in the lead. A brisk business is also being done by showrooms, store fixtures and radio manufacturers. Building hardware and electrical refrigeration factories, however, some seasonal slackening. Furniture factories are operating slightly under normal but the prospect is for a marked pick-up in this industry. Manufacturing conditions in a number of the larger cities and in several of the smaller centers of the state have never been better than they are at the present time. Numerous factories are working overtime.

Never before has the Michigan employment situation as a whole been better. Such unemployment as does exist is made up almost entirely of the floating labor which is always attracted to this state by the publicity given to prosperity in the automobile industry. Payrolls are increasing in Grand Rapids, Jackson, Lansing, Muskegon, Adrian, Albion, Benton Harbor, Cheboygan, Saginaw, Bay City, Big Rapids, Coldwater, Flint, Houghton, Howell, Iron Mountain, Midland, Pontiac and Detroit. Only two cities are experiencing a decrease.

Industrial employment in Detroit, according to a report issued September 11 by the Employers' Association, whose membership represents two-thirds of the city's industrial work force, amounts to 800,844, an increase of 1,600 over the preceding week and a gain of 101,864 compared with a year ago. Employment is also exceptionally good in Lansing, Pontiac and Jackson.

Production of passenger cars and trucks in the United States and Canada in August totaled approximately 485,000 vehicles and established a new high monthly record, exceeding the highest previous month, April, 1926, by almost 22,000 units. September schedules are about 50 per cent in excess of the same period last year. Exports for the first six months of the current year were \$38,571,576.00, greater than the previous high record established in the corresponding months of last year. The possibilities of the export field loom large when it is remembered that outside the United States there is only one automobile to each 277 persons, as against one to every 5.1 persons in the United States.

Michigan bankers report money in sufficient supply to take care of commercial and industrial requirements and the needs of the farmer, although the credit situation is somewhat tighter than it was a month or two ago. The crop situation continues good to excellent. Michigan farmers as a whole are more prosperous than at any time in recent years. Trade in automobiles and retail, in general, is distinctly better. The current volume is well ahead of that of a year ago. Collections are reported fair to good and are better than at this time last year. Tourist trade this summer, while not up to expectations in some localities, was generally satisfactory.

Freight traffic passing through the Sault canals in the month of August amounted to 10,093,586 tons compared with 9,212,111 tons in August, 1927.

The total construction cost of buildings for which permits were issued in Michigan in the month of August amounted to \$19,111,231 compared with \$9,332,886 in the preceding month and \$15,005,251 in August a year ago. Permits were issued in Detroit in August for buildings costing \$10,889,394.00, an increase of \$2,170,129.00 over the same month in 1927.

## ENTHUSIASM

By THOMAS ANKLE CLARK  
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

AND whatsoever you do, do it heartily, the Apostle Paul admonished the Colossians, and he added another touch—"as unto the Lord." We are to be enthusiastic in our work and this enthusiasm is to have behind it a moral purpose.

There is an undergraduate election on this afternoon and Kenney is running for office. The job he hopes to hold is not one which involves great issues or unusual responsibility, but it has something of both and besides a modicum of honor. He beams when he comes around, he has great ambitions as to the reforms he will institute if he is elected, he has planned his campaign intelligently, and he is no indifferent candidate. He has "chosen" to run, and he buttonholes every possible voter on every street corner. He has his manager and his committee and his headquarters. Just as if he were an honest-to-goodness politician. Probably he will win, for, having enthusiasm himself, he has inspired enthusiasm in his followers, and there is nothing more infectious than enthusiasm.

Norton is a philanthropist. He had a very hard time himself in college. He was slow in grasping abstract principles and he was absolutely on his own resources. He stuck to the job, however, for he had an enthusiastic interest in the problems of engineering which during the forty years he has been out of college has carried him far. He has made money, and being of a generous turn of mind he wants to help other boys who show promise and who need help. Every year he has the high school principal pick out a boy who has done well in his preparatory work and without the boy's knowing where the help comes from sends him to college. The understanding is that the recipient of his favor shall make a report twice a year to the high school principal.

He wrote me the other day that he had not heard for some time from one of his proteges and he was curious to know why. Could I tell him? It was not a difficult job. The boy had started in enthusiastically at first and had done well. Here was a great chance which he had never expected to have given him. But his job was not easy; he lost interest, his enthusiasm waned, and when I talked to him he had quite made up his mind to rest on his oars, to give up the struggle and let matters take their course. Enthusiasm was gone, and so failure faced him. Unless his interest could be stimulated, unless he could go at his work joyfully, there was no hope of success.

Youth has had little experience, but it undertakes very difficult tasks at times and carries them with amazing success. It overcomes difficulties because whatever it undertakes voluntarily it usually undertakes with great enthusiasm. It behind this enthusiasm there is an idea of accomplishing something of benefit to others as well as to himself, something that will help the world. There is no stopping him.

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## NEWS TO HAVE SAFETY AREAS

After making surveys for a testing ground for submarines, an area 12 miles off York Beach, Maine, was selected by Navy Department officials, it was announced by the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station, Detroit, Michigan. This area was selected because it is off the lane of heavy ocean traffic which is dangerous to submarines inasmuch as they are unable to locate surface vessels by sight until a "periscope depth" is reached. This brings them to within 30 feet of the surface where they may be rammed by unlocated surface vessels.

## RECORD OF VILLAGE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Meeting held on the 10th day of September A. D. 1928, Grayling, Mich.

Meeting called to order by President H. Petersen.  
Trustees present: Thomas Cassidy, A. L. Roberts, E. G. Shaw, A. J. Joseph, George W. McCullough and Emil Giegling.

Minutes of last two meetings read and approved.  
Report of the finance committee read as follows: To the President and members of the Common Council of the Village of Grayling: Your committee on finance, claims and accounts respectfully recommend that the accompanying bills be allowed as follows:

1 Mich. Pub. Serv. Co., August pump-house power	\$392.65
2 Mich. Pub. Serv. Co., August pump-house lights	1.15
3 Mich. Pub. Serv. Co., August street lights	152.00
4 Mich. Pub. Serv. Co., August traffic signals	9.27
5 Mich. Pub. Serv. Co., August tourist park lights	12.07
6 Mich. Pub. Serv. Co., August fire siren	2.50
7 Grayling Telephone Co., inv. Sept. 1st, 1928	11.85
8 Western Union Tel. Co., inv. Sept. 3rd, 1928	.72
9 F. R. Deckrow, inv. Aug. 3rd, 1928	47.10
10 F. R. Deckrow, inv. June 13, 1928	2.20
11 Grayling Box Co., inv. Aug. 2-20, Sept. 6	4.50
12 Standard Oil Co., inv. Aug. 21, 1928	32.30
13 Albert Knibbs, inv. Sept. 1, 1928	8.00
14 Frank Ahman, inv. Aug. 28, 1928	3.25
15 James Sorenson, inv. Aug. 23, 1928	12.00
16 State Review Pub. Co., inv. Aug. 8, 1928	10.00
17 Dow Chemical Co., inv. Aug. 18, 1928	113.75
18 Olaf Sorenson, inv. Aug. 13 & 15, 1928	45.55
19 Hanson Restaurant, inv. Aug. 18, 1928	25.10
20 Thos. Cassidy, inv. Sept. 4th, 1928	35.00
21 A. J. Nelson, fire report Aug. 16, 1928	12.50
22 Hanson Hardware Co., inv. Sept. 1, 1928	72.74
23 Julius Nelson, payroll Aug. 10, 1928	66.50
24 Julius Nelson, payroll Aug. 17, 1928	42.70
25 Julius Nelson, payroll Aug. 24, 1928	49.00
26 Julius Nelson, payroll Aug. 31, 1928	50.75
27 Julius Nelson, payroll Sept. 7, 1928	37.10
28 Burke's Garage, inv. Sept. 1, 1928	16.55

O. K. with the exception of item number 1 on which \$100.00 is to be allowed.

Emil Giegling,  
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Moved by A. J. Joseph and supported by Thos. Cassidy that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn on treasurer for the same. Motion carried.

Moved and supported that this board adjourn. Motion carried.  
Roy O. Mines, Clerk.  
H. Petersen, President.

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## FAILURE TO HAVE INDICATES FATAL INDIFFERENCE TO ONE'S DESTINY

(By E. W. Straus, President American Society for Thrift.)  
The statement has been made by many observers that the person who cannot save money is destined to failure.

This is not entirely true, for success in life cannot be measured by material standards. It would not be difficult to give the names of many who have achieved high success in life without having accumulated any material possessions of consequence. But such instances are exceptions. With the rank and file of men and women, the ability to save money is an indication of will power and ambition. People who fail to save money do not neglect this practice because they CANNOT save. They do it because they WILL NOT.

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## AGRICULTURAL DEFECTS

"Co-ordination in agriculture" means that after you dig for worms you discover you have spoiled the garden.—Detroit News

When "W" is a Vowel  
In words where "w" forms the second element of a diphthong, as in few and how, "w" is a vowel.

## TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land lies, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereon, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration of commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land:  
STATE OF MICHIGAN,  
County of Crawford.

The west half of the southwest quarter of Sec. 3, Town 26N, Range 3W. Amount paid \$13.65 tax for year 1922.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$32.50 plus the fees of the Sheriff, John Brun, place of business, Grayling, Michigan.

To Dwight N. Lowell and Ora Allen, last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County. 9-20-4

## STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION

Notice of Hearing on Applications for Timberland Tax Listings  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That at 9:00 A. M., October 24, 1928, at the Courthouse at Grayling, a public hearing will be held to inquire whether the lands hereafter described are eligible for listing under Act 94 of the Public Acts of 1925. Inquire of County Treasurer as to office in which hearing will be held.

Description	Section	Township	Range
Entire	5	27N	4W
SE 1/4 of NE 1/4	6	27N	4W
SE 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	27N	4W
NW 1/4 of NW 1/4	6	27N	4W
NE 1/4 of SE 1/4	7	27N	4W
E 1/2	8	27N	4W
NE 1/4	8	27N	4W
W 1/2	8	27N	4W
N 1/2 of SE 1/4	8	27N	4W
SW 1/4 of SE 1/4	8	27N	4W
Entire	9	27N	4W
N 1/2 of NE 1/4 of NE 1/4	18	27N	4W

Ray E. Cotton, Secretary.

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